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CEO

BIHAR BHUJAL VIKAS MISSION

Ref. No. 327/प्र.सचिव (31)

Patna / Date. 16/9/19

Dear Akhil.

Subject:- Regarding fund allocation for construction of Data Centre cum workshop centre, building and consultancy, architecture cost in component (A3.1.01) in the PIP.

Our Bihar NHP team led by Mr. Gopal Meena Project Coordinator NHP/Additional Secretary attended midterm review meeting of PIP (Project Implementation Plan) chaired by you on 12th September 2019 explained in great detail about the PIP changes with justification. We too had discussed this component A3.1.01 in detail over telephone, still we received a mail from Mr. Rajaram Purohit, Deputy Director NHP in which he mentioned about review/revision of this component.

I, again reiterate that amount of Rs. 900 lakh is required as under against PIP component A3.1.01 due to following reasons.

1. Building is required to accommodate a State- of- the Art Data Centre to store Ground water level data received from SCADA automation, Telemetry systems (Piezometers) and upcoming NHP activities of data sources like mobile pump controller (MPC) to be installed on the proposed 8000 state tube wells etc. The said Data Centre will be a hub of all the present and future, I.T initiatives of the State Govt./NHP in so far as the Ground Water/PMKSY is concerned.
2. In order to ensure quality data, capacity building of those who collect, collate and monitor water level data is essential. We envisage to have a State- of- the art conference/training hall of 150 sitting capacity to impart training to our engineers (JEs/AEs/EEs) and Engineer of PHED and other stakeholders/ Partners.
3. A massive water conservation and Water harvesting awareness program has also been launched by Govt. of Bihar namely "Jal-Jeevan-Hariyali Abhiyaan". Its monitoring will be done from this proposed Data Centre at Jal Bhawan.
4. Video Conference with field officials/NHP officials.
5. Office space to accommodate Project Coordinator of NHP and other visiting NHP officials.

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Yours Sincerely

(K.K. Pathak)

To,

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